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Ann Trent

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response in the above identified Application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

<u>X</u> One Month (\$110)

Three Months (\$980)

___ Two Months (\$430)

Four Months (\$1,530)

Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Charge any and all fees, or credit any overpayment, to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No.

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Respectfully submitted.

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